# Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club



# **Sight Picture**

**July 2015** 



July 4<sup>th</sup> Is Independence Day. You can thank these gentlemen for our country and for your rights like the second amendment.

## **New Members:**

Earl C. Waughop, John C. Hoelscher, Scott C. Morris, Phillip C. Sons, Craig T, Woodin, Brandon D. Plattner, Terry R. Phillips, Craig A. Welty, Ulf J. Lindqwister, Timothy S. Schloz II, Donald W. Simpson, Jeffrey A. Simpson, Anne Scheel

On behalf of our officers, we welcome you. Enjoy and make use of our facility.

## **Gone South:**

We recently lost one of our long time members Jim Gurnsey. Jim was talkative and had a good sense of humor. He also had a wealth of knowledge on firearms, especially shotguns. Our sympathy goes to his family.

#### **Get Well:**

Our muzzle loader director Tom French severely broke his arm in a recent accident. We wish him a speedy recovery and a return to those smoky rifles.

# **Unacceptable Use Of Our Ranges:**

On Sunday June 8, one of our club officers found this on range 5.



This is against our range and safety rules. If you are observed engaging in this type of behavior, you will be expelled from the Club.

Our goal is: bullet leaves the firearm, passes through the paper target, and impacts the backstop. If you have any questions contact a club officer.

You must understand that our concern is not only safety, but bullets exiting our property.

Thank You

## **Outdoor Work Party:**

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The next work party will be on July 11, 2015 at 8:00 AM. We will be cleaning up trash and trimming tree limbs on all ranges, weed wacking around property, burning brush piles if possible; bring rakes, chain saws, weedwackers. We will also need screw guns, saws and hammers to make targets frames.

ALL RANGES ARE CLOSED TO SHOOTING UNTIL AFTER THE WORKPARTY IS COMPLETE (about 1:00PM) except for scheduled events.

Contact Steve Schneckenburger at 309-692-7807 or 657-0170 for more information.

**Indoor Work Party:** 

An indoor work party will be held on Saturday July 11 at 8:00AM. This will involve de-leading the indoor range, painting the back stop and possibly cleaning of the clubhouse. The more volunteers, the faster this will go,

If you would like to participate and get some work hours, please contact Bob Bjerke at 309-692-1800.

# **July Congressional Election**

On July 7an election will be held to fill the U.S. Congress seat vacated by Aaron Shock. This is not a political endorsement on my behalf as a club officer, but I do know this: Darren Lahood is a staunch supporter of your rights under the second amendment to the constitution. I visited his office in Springfield in 2013 and was told this.

#### **FYI, Jim Martin**

#### M1 Garand Raffle:

We have one beautiful service grade M1 Garand rifle left. Built in December 1944 at the Springfield armory we think this one is unused after an armory rebuild. All the proceeds go to the Chillicothe Veterans' Memorial. There are 12 tickets left at \$20 each. Contact Chris Bach at 309-256-1712 for tickets.

#### Lake Status:

Per Paul Aaron our lake manager, the lake has been restocked with catfish, bluegills, and red ear. Until further notice the fishing rules will be "catch and release". This has been posted on the club grounds. We thank our members for your cooperation.

### **Trap News:**

#### **Muzzle Loader Matches:**

The next muzzle loader shoot will be on Father's Day June 21 at 10:00AM. A new feature for this will be a black powder clay bird shoot on range 4. 15 birds will be shot for record. Contact Tom French at 309-246-2073.

#### **Chillicothe Veterans Memorial 1911 Pistol Match**

Where: Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club Range 5

When: Saturday June 27<sup>th</sup> 2015

Time: Registration mods begins at 8:00AM

**Shooting begins at 9:00AM** 

Cost: \$5.00 for the first gun...re-shoots \$3.00

Course: 4 strings of fire at 3yds. 7yds. 15yds. And 25 yds. each string will be 6 shots reload 6 shots total round count 48....bring more and shoot multiple times 2 Divisions:

- 1. Military...45 cal. Non adjustable sights no aftermarket mods of any kind
- 2. Custom...9mm, 38 super, .40. 45 cal. Aftermarket mods ok but NO COMPS or OPTICS Contact Eric Henson 309-657-5322

All Proceeds Go To Support The Chillicothe Veterans Memorial

## **Planning Team Update:**

The board of directors has approved the team's recommendation for two projects. The first is a complete repair and revamp of the roads on the club grounds. This includes the parking area behind range 5 and 6. The second is an upgrade to range 5 and 6. This will include new overheads and a new gravel floor in the staging area.

Down the road we are planning the addition of several new pistol bays and an update to the lake. Watch for more details later.

## **Club Officers:**

President: Derek Howald (309) 258-3116

Vice President: Chris Bach (309) 256-1712

Secretary Donald Clemens (309) 274-6870

Treasurer: Lowell Bennett (309) 274-5586

Membership Director: Bob Griffith (309) 274-2068

Web Site: www.chillisportsmen.org

## **And Finally:**

The Chillicothe Veterans Memorial is taking shape. Check it out at the corner of Chestnut St. and Santa Fe. The Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club has been supporting this effort through many different activities. Our veterans: "all gave some, some gave all".



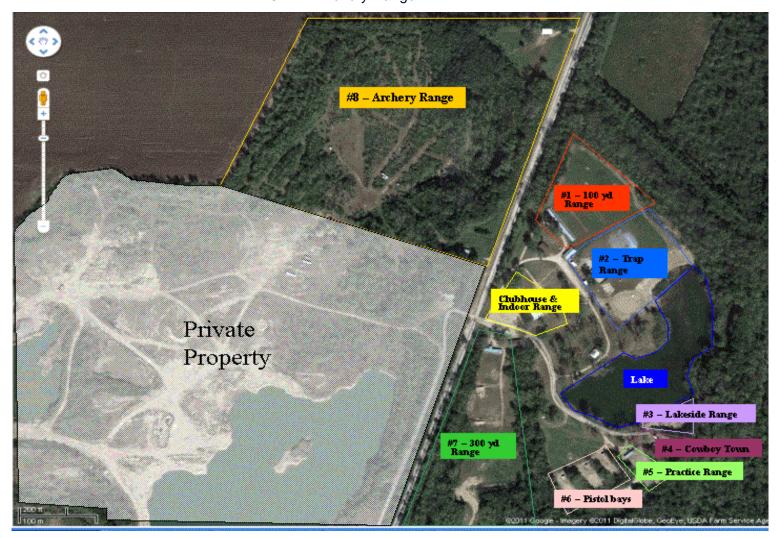


#### RANGE NUMBERS

#### The following are the range numbers:

#### RANGE LOCATION

- 1 -- 100 yard range
- 2 -- Trap range
- 3 -- Short lakeside range (just north of Cowboy Town)
- 4 -- Cowboy Town
- 5 -- Practice Range
- 6 -- 3-bays
- 7 -- 300 yard range
- 8 -- Archery Range



# **Chillicothe Sportsmen's Club Calendar of Activities**

July						
Sun	Mon	Тие	Wed  1 2—Open Trap—5 PM	<i>Thu</i> <b>2</b>	Fri  2—Trap Range	Sat  Independence Day
			League(14)—6 PM		Cleanup—9 AM	
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